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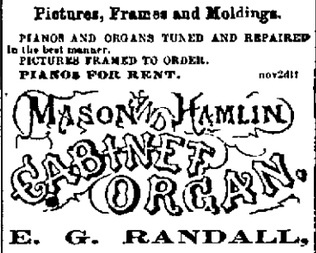

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Held at the Court House, Portland, December 18, 1867.

Meeting called to order by A. P. Dennison, Secretary. The chairman of the previous meeting being absent, Gen. A. L. Lovejoy was called to the chair. The object of the meeting being stated, Col. W. W. Chapman, from the committee of seventeen, heretofore appointed, made the following report, with accompanying resolutions:

REPORT.

The Committee appointed at a public meeting of the citizens of Portland, Oregon held at the Court House on the evening of the 7th of December, 1867, to take into consideration the various railroad projects into and through Oregon, ascertain what measures are necessary to be taken to reconcile conflicting interests, produce harmony and concert of action in their support, report:

That so far as your committee is informed there are four or five railroads in contemplation to which, we the people of Oregon, feel a deep interest.

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To run from Lake Superior to Puget Sound, with a branch following down the Columbia river to Portland. To appreciate the importance of this road, it is scarcely necessary to do more than turn to the map, mark its initial point and trace its line. When completed with its branch to Portland, it will afford as easy access to the valleys far up the Columbia, bringing us in close connection with the New England States; open the way for, and direct the current of their immigration and commerce. In aid of its construction, Congress has already granted liberally of the public lands. Further aid is now asked in the shape of subsidies. Its branch to Portland if ever constructed, will probably, in effect, become the main trunk, and Portland its door-way to Puget Sound.

THE SALT LAKE AND PORTLAND BRANCH

Of the Union Pacific Railroad to us is of paramount importance and demands our most careful support. As yet, no aid for its construction has been granted by the Government, but both by congressional recognition of Oregon, Washington and Idaho, claim to stand on an equal footing with California in their demand for a branch railroad; and no reason exists or can be assigned why the National Government should not extend the same paternal aid to them that she has so liberally bestowed upon our sister States.

In geographical extent, agricultural and mineral resources, we are her equal. We ship our millions of gold and silver, wheat, flour, wool and other articles of commerce, and import millions of merchandise. We lie more directly in the line of the China trade through the finest harbor on the Pacific coast. We have the Columbia river, itself a harbor, and navigable for hundreds of miles, with the best timber in the world for most any, and abundance of it, and we need not say that we have in great quantities and furnaces to smelt it; extensive iron works and machine shops; woolen factories and sheep with the finest wool; never-failing crops of wheat and flouring mills unlimited in number, and withal the cattle upon a thousand hills.

The branch road from Salt Lake to Portland would connect us by the shortest route with the great heart and body of the United States. In 1865 the Boston Board of Trade, appreciating the value to the Eastern States, which the Northern Pacific Railroad, caused a report to be made upon the subject from which we make the following quotations: "The Central and Southern routes will bring the Pacific States in close connection with New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and New Orleans, and the trunk lines from some of these cities are already seeking to identify themselves with the companies proposing western extensions."

This frank admission of the city of Boston accords with what every man acquainted with the history of the country in this respect knows, has proved true. The conclusions from this is that the flow of commerce upon the Union Pacific Railroad, would be that of every State from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico. Of which it is but reasonable to conclude that a fair proportion would be destined for Idaho, Oregon and Washington. The route of the Portland branch lies through a rich mineral region, with the richest agricultural districts densely populated, having elegant farms in a high state of cultivation, all yielding their millions of gold and other articles of commerce. Stating a little more in detail, the road would probably shoot off as far east as Goose Creek, and follow down that river valley, enter Boise valley, and through Boise city, the seat of Government of Idaho Territory. This valley is composed of rich agricultural lands, in a forward state of cultivation, surrounded upon all sides with extensive gold and silver mines, and finally terminating in the flourishing town of Idaho city distant 35 miles; Centerville, 40 miles; Placerville, 50 miles; Pioneer City, 60 miles; Ruby City, — miles; Silver City, — miles, with other towns of minor importance.

From Boise valley the route lies through the Payette and Weiser valleys, with agricultural lands and some settlements, and crossing Snake river near Olds' Ferry, pass through the Burnt and Powder river valleys in the county of Baker, embracing large quantities of good farming lands, and connected with extensive districts of gold, silver and copper mines of great richness. Baker City, the county seat of the county, is situated upon the route. Leaving those valleys, it lies through the Grand Ronde valley in Union county. This is a broad, level prairie, watered by the Grand Ronde river. The valley is densely populated, producing immense quantities of wheat and other grains. Union town, and La Grande, the county seat, are the principal towns. It has several flouring mills, manufacturing large quantities of flour. After crossing the Blue mountains, the route to the Columbia river lies through a district of country embracing agricultural lands of a superior quality, elevated the best in the world with luxuriant growths of grass. Outside of the Indian reservation there are considerable settlements. The whole length of the route from Goose creek to Portland is about 367 miles. Of this, 212 miles on the Columbia and 120 on the Snake river, is navigable by steamboats, and may be used immediately upon the completion of the road; but this ought not in any manner to delay or suspend the prosecution of the work short of its entire completion.

We make these brief allusions to the country to show how important the proposed road is to ogr brethren and customers of Idaho and Eastern Oregon, while we think we are safe in saying that to Portland and Oregon generally its importance cannot be over estimated, and call for the last energies of our Senators and Representatives in procuring the necessary aid to insure its immediate construction. Eastern Oregon pays its proportion in the support of the State government, and contributes to all our public improvements, and in the opinion of your committee no policy can be pursued to bring about a more desirable object so much needed by them and so beneficial to us.

The present is the most favorable time to press our claims. Other projects of a similar character though antagonistic will be before Congress, and while it is on the giving hand, we may reasonably hope for success.

We think our success lies in looking to a connection with the Union Pacific railroad company for either a branch or the extension of their line to Portland. That company, through the various Eastern intersections, and the travel and commerce connected with them, must be identified with the interests of a large majority of the States, and surveying the country north of California, including British Columbia and Vancouver Island, its resources and its commerce with the Atlantic, Western and Southwestern States, they can but see the importance of having an independent through line to Portland, connecting by means of a railroad the Sound with San Francisco, and a route 300 miles shorter than by way of San Francisco. These considerations cannot, we think, fail to exert a favorable influence upon the company and upon the States with whose interests they are identified. That company has completed 300 miles of its Pacific trunk, and are familiar with all the details of the work, their communications reach to almost every State, and their resources are supposed to be inexhaustible, and should they undertake it, it is not too much to expect its immediate commencement.

From the consideration of the subject of a through line of railroad, so rich in its promised results, we turn to our own, which, while it is more local, is no less pressing in its demands and promising in results.

PORTLAND AND SALEM RAILROAD

Have engaged the attention of the people for several years past. Until recently it has been more or less a question whether the necessities of the country would justify embarking in the enterprise and working it to pay that seen at this day there are those of little faith. This, however, is no reason for discouragement. All experience hath shown, that where there is freedom of thought there will be difference of opinion.

The valleys of the Willamette, Umpqua and Rogue rivers, extending the whole length of the State north and south, a distance of 300 miles, and bounded by the Cascade hills and accessible slopes of the mountains, about 70 miles as a district of country for climate, health, soil and productions is unequalled upon the Pacific coast. Limited and unsystematic as the cultivation of the soil has been, the surplus products of these valleys, in the form of wheat, flour, wool and harvest cattle, are immense, and vastly increasing. With all this it is admitted that but a small proportion of our valuable land is in cultivation, and in many sections of this favored country the people, often divested from the want of cheap and ready means of transportation in a profitable market. The Boston Board of Trade know this. They at their great distance from us know our want of facilities for transportation. Hear what they say, speaking of Oregon: "Its soil is productive, and its climate temperate, but its resources are only waiting transportation facilities across the continent to be speedily and greatly multiplied." We know that large fields, say farms, lie idle from year to year because it is worse than idle to produce crops with no prospect of their reaching market with any return to the producer. And the farther south you travel, the more apparent are these difficulties, and except as supported by a home interest, or long journeys to feeding and suitable markets, no wealth is accumulated from the productions of the soil. Large quantities of as good land as can be found upon the coast, is cut out in grazing, because of the want for transportation of wheat, only twelve cents per bushel from some of things affect the prosperity of Portland, the emporium of trade? It would be a work of supererogation to argue this question to our merchants and business men. They know the laws of trade and walk therein. The mere of a staple article is promised and ready for a foreign market, the greatest will be the demand for it in our home markets. A small quantity at tracts no attention. We must be able to load ships at our wharves, and that must be done speedily and at the proper season. With the present facilities for transportation, with even the limited amount of wheat produced, we are neither able to get it to market in time, or in sufficient quantities to profit by the demand.

It is true, (and we avail ourselves of the fact as an argument) that the people of the districts in the immediate vicinity of Portland, were partially able to avail themselves of the late rise in the price of wheat, but this was at a loss of time in transportation, sufficient in which to have ploughed and sown wheat enough with facilities for transportation, to have brought the wheat in market, yet not more probably than one fourth the wheat is in market.

Admitting that we have a river running through the heart of the valley, still it is not navigated any considerable the year for the transportation of the products of the country at the proper season, nor is it for this purpose, available at any season for the great mass of the farmers, saying nothing of the cost of transportation.

One of the great drawbacks to the prosperity of any country, is the high cost of transportation. This not only strikes primarily at the producer, the farmer and his farm, and keeps both poor, but their losses are reflected upon every branch of industry. When the farmer is prosperous he purchases more merchandise, secures more comforts, and consumes more luxuries. He builds better houses and barns, uses improved implements; raises the finest stock and employs more labor. All this improvement is divided with the mechanic, merchant, importer and carrier; and so the whole community is prospered because of the prosperity upon the farm, where all our solid and enduring prosperity is founded. But the farmer cannot be prosperous where one third the value of his crops must go to him whose who carries it to market. A railroad or railroads through these valleys would always secure him transportation, at the proper season and at living fair rates by producing competition with the boats.

From statistics compiled by W. J. McAlpin, State Engineer of the State of New York, he finds that the average cost of transportation by railroad is thirteen mills per ton per mile. From a table of the freight charges on the Willamette river, published November 1, 1866, we learn that the average charge on this river is *one hundred and seventy mills per ton per mile.* Now we respectfully submitted that neither the farmer nor the interests of the city of Portland can be prospered under such a state of affairs, constituting, as it does, one of the strongest appeals to take hold of this enterprise.

The wonderful effect of railroad transportation may be seen in the rapid growth and unparalleled prosperity of the Western States. There lordly villages have been transformed to cities, and cities have sprung up from naked prairies in a day. Every one can call up instances of this rapid development. One of the most noticeable elements of this development may be found in the increase of the wheat crops in those States:

In 1860, Wisconsin had no railways and Illinois next to none. The Wheat crop of Wisconsin that year was 4,250,000 bushels, Illinois, 9,500,000; of Pennsylvania, 15,900,000. and Pennsylvania was then the greatest wheat producer of all the States by 2,000,000 bushels. But from 1850 to 1860 Wisconsin and Illinois completed their thorough railroad system, which enabled them cheaply and readily to bring their grain to the markets of Chicago and Milwaukie; and so in the year 1860, we find by the census tables, Wisconsin produced 15,567,464 bushels of wheat; Illinois, 23,337,023 bushels; and Pennsylvania but 13,000,000. During the ten years between 1850 and 1860, there was a decided falling off in the wheat production of New York and Pennsylvania; but at the same time, all at wholly through the accompaniment given to production by railway transportation, the five great wheat States of the West, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin and Iowa, have increased in production 47,000,000 bushels per annum—over three hundred per cent, on the products of 1850 was yielded in 1860. What is quite as remarkable, the price of wheat was nearly twice as high in the latter as in the former year. In the same State a similar increase is noted in almost every other agricultural production.

To determine the propriety of constructing a railroad through the Willamette valley, something over a year ago, a gentleman interested in the subject, sent out a circular to railroad Presidents, county and State officers and land owners in the Eastern States, asking for a great variety of information. Many of these original circulars have been returned with the interrogations answered, and have been laid before your committee. We cannot epitomize all the information they afford, although all is valuable and interesting, but we select a few points.—The construction of the North Missouri Railroad increased the value of the land along its line *five times its value before the construction of the road.* The county of Audrain is given as an example, where before construction of the road the —— cent roll showed $600,000 taxable property in the county, but after its construction, in two years, the same roll showed $3,000,000. The city of Evansville, Indiana, subscribed $200,000 to the Evansville and Crawfordville road, and it was not necessary to increase the rate of taxation to pay interest on that amount, such was the increase of taxable values. The Maine Central Railroad draws its trade from a strip of country eight miles wide on each side of the line (not a very good country, as is well known) and its nett earnings over and above all expenses are $22,000, on 110 miles of road. The Dubuque and Sioux City Railroad (Iowa) has increased the value of land along for the two hundred miles of road, and saves forty per cent. of its income off a local population of 57,000. The Cumberland Valley Railroad (Pennsylvania) derives its traffic from a valley 12 to 20 miles wide and 75 miles long, and pays its stockholders eight per cent. cash dividends. The Secretary of State of Wisconsin writes that railroads have quadrupled the value of land in that State, and in no case has the rate of taxation been increased to meet interest on county or State subscriptions.

The increase of population consequent upon the commencement of the road is a subject of itself of great interest, but when completed the increase will be no less with astonishing rapidity, and will quite compare with the State were she slave to build it. Of the literature of the prosperity of any locality of its great enterprise, and that with a strong arm, it is impossible to err. The subject with reference to the

SEVERAL ORGANIZATIONS,

so that not only the citizens of Portland, but of the whole State, may give undivided their most efficient aid to be appropriated harmoniously for the public good.

Congress, by an act passed the 25th of July, 1866, granted to the State each alternate section of the public land, 25 miles in width on each side of the line of the proposed road, to aid in its construction. The State Legislature, to make the grant available and secure the construction of the road, by an act passed the 24th of October, 1866, provided and declared "that the State of Oregon shall pay the interest for 20 years on one million dollars of the bonds of the Oregon Central Railroad, as laid out by act of Congress approved July 25th, 1866" if no company have been organized, each calling itself "The Oregon Central Railroad Company." One company, headed by J. Gaston, Esq., is pushing its surveys through Multnomah, Washington and Yamhill counties, and propose to construct their road entirely upon the west side of the Willamette river. It is also canvassing vigorously for stock, and as we learn, has procured to be taken in the locality of the proposed road over $200,000. The other company, represented by Mr Ben Holladay, has contracted most for the construction of their road

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The President and Congress

If the principal point which Mr Johnson labors so hard to make in his message be well taken, viz That the interference of Congress with the affairs of the insurgent States is a usurpation of powers not granted to any branch of the Government by the Constitution it becomes highly interesting to inquire where he got his authority to deal with those States as he himself has done His special pleading against Congress on this subject is both puerile and dishonest He denies the right of that body to prescribe any conditions whatever for the readmission of the rebel States he denounces such a policy as an unwarrantable interference with the State rights and holds, that, to prescribe terms or dictate conditions of restoration is entirely unconstitutional His doctrine is that States must not be dictated to in this manner Yet in 1865 he himself did just what he now so violently condemns Congress for doing We do not go to his stump speeches or his reception addresses for proof of this, it is written in his State papers and officially attested by his Secretary On the 27th of October, 1865, the Provisional Governor of Georgia telegraphed to Mr Johnson "We are pressed on the war debt What should the Convension do?" Mr. Seward replied "The President can not recognize the people of any State as having re ored their relations of loyalty to the Union that admits as legal obligations contracted to promote the rebellion." On the 6th of November, 1865, Mr. Seward telegraphed to the Provisional Governor of South Carolina, "The President considers the acceptance of the (emancipation) amendment by South Carolina as indispensable to a restoration of her relations with the other States of the Union" Here we find that the President has dictated to those States in the very manner which he now declares is unconstitutional. Mr. Johnson informed those States that they must adopt the amendment abolishing slavery before they could be restored to the Union, but when Congress, the only branch of the Government that has a right to deal with this question, presents an amendment and demands its ratification, Johnson declaims against the unconstitutionality of the measure! If Johnson had a right to dictate the ratification of an amendment as a condition of readmission, can any one tell why Congress has not the same right? If Johnson had a right to demand that States should adopt a resolution forbidding the payment of the rebel debt, can any one tell why Congress has not a right to insist that they shall take this or that measure by constitutional enactment? The charge of "usurpation" which he makes in his message, therefore recoils on his own head. So also with refere nce to his charges against Congress for legislating the suffrage in the rebel States. In his proclamation appointing Provisional Governors and authorizing State Conventions to be held, he prescribed the qualifications of voters and ex ors to exclude numerous classes from the exercise of political rights. Yet he now says that Congress cannot meddle with the W ges in the South! This is the m ssage of 1867 in a nutshell—a tissue of unanswerable arguments! No similar pr clamation ever had so many vulnerable points and never so completely furnished its own refutation.

Why the Prop)- Look to Gen. Grant

[R ch. Whig 12 (Mass) Repos"

The "no party" men believe that the Republican party can elect Gen Grant for its presidential candidate, but they will not risk him, but because he can be elected by nobody else. They ignore the fact that he has all along been the favorite with the masses of the party, and that those who plan for party have not hitherto underrated their party much all of the time had aspirations of their own for the Presidency. The Republicans from principle have instinctively looked to Gen. Grant as the next President after the war closed, and not because he was any more available for securing the ends of his military prestige, but from a conviction that he would do as well reconcile all sections and promote harmony and fraternal feeling better than the politicians lately at war The people of the North are so unanimous in the fall elections that we need a new motive, and made it evident that we need Gen. Grant for our candidate, that we would elect him, and because we are sure that we can elect any other man And it is now a fully considered as good as settled, and of all the bargains-on-the party all at once declare that they are for Grant and throw up their caps with all the zeal of new recruits

The South honors him, scarcely less than the North, as a brave and successful soldier, as a true man, incapable of insulting or trampling on a prostrate foe, and ready to grasp hands in friendship with those against whom he has fought, although they were in a bad cause. A politician who has risen to eminence by agitating against slavery will not necessarily retain something of the old bitterness of the polemical contest, and find it a hard order than does the soldier to forgive the vanquished party. We have had conspicuous examples of this in the two years past, and want of the view of such intellectual caliber and knowledge of history that we had a right to say both things of them With one of this character as a candidate for President, we should have the battles of the past fought over again, its animosities perpetuated, and national hostilities perpetuated. This we do not want.

It is time to let the dead past bury its dead Party is no slavery to fight about. We are a nation of equals, with every reason to cultivate the most friendly and intimate relations between all sections. We want the era of peace to begin. It is with such feelings and hopes as these that the people turn to Gen Grant He has led them to final victory over rebellion they look to him to lead in the equally essential work of allaying animosities, and restoring unity and fraternity among the people, re-establishing the reign of civil law, and bringing order and peace out of the present confusion His election will prove to the South, not humiliate it, will remove all the painful uncertainties and forebodings that now rest upon us, and give confidence and vigor to the whole country.

A Natural Supposition —The Dayton (Ohio) Journal says that a gentleman who resides across the Miami, within the favored territory which was annexed to the city by the vote of Tuesday evening, was somewhat annoyed on Wednesday morning at the delay of his help—a clever Irishman by the name of Pat Sullivan—in getting out his horse and buggy, as he wished to take him to the city Going out to the barn-yard he found Pat busily at work putting things to rights. "Pat" called Mr X "Sir!" returned Pat "What's the reason you don't bring out my horse and buggy—eh?" "Beg your pardon, sir!" returned Pat "but I didn't know you wanted it!" "Why, man, you know I always want my horse and buggy in the morning to drive to the city." "Be me soskens, sir I thought we was all voted into the city yesterday, sure enough, sir, an' seein' that we're in the city now I only thought you'd not be aither wantin' the horse or the buggy at all, at all!" Mr X explained to Pat that although the city limits would probably be extended around them, the distance to the center of the town would not be shortened by the process, and the horse and buggy would continue to be as necessary.

A Sound Woodman.—One of the most remarkable and pleasing illustrations of the properties of sound is the extinguishing of a light by pure noise Professor Tyndall in one of his experiments places a lighted candle on a table at the end of a tube, supported on racket holders, resting on the table The end of the tube near the candle is small and pointed. The other end is large and open. By clapping two books together at the large end, Professor Tyndall extinguishes the candle at the other end "Pooh!" says the over-intelligent reader, "that is nothing It is simply blowing out a candle through a pipe" No such thing, reply sagacious critic, as Professor Tyndall proceeds to prove He burns a piece of brown paper in the tube, filling it with smoke Now, if the candle be put out by a blow, smoke will issue from the pointed end of the tube Again Professor Tyndall claps the books Again the candle goes out but no smoke comes out of the pointed end of the tube Whatever has put out the candle has passed through the air and smoke in the tube The light is extinguished by a pulse, not by a puff The candle is put out by sound—noise

The reason why pretty women can't see their own defects is that they are unwilling to pluck the beams out of their own bright eyes

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN]

DATES TO DECEMBER 18.

Financial Matters.

Chicago Dec 18—The following is a synopsis of the bill prepared by the Senate Finance Committee for funding the national debt The bill authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to issue and h registered coupon bonds as he shall prescribe payable principal and interest, in coin bearing interest at six per cent payable in forty years from date and redeemable in ten at the pleasure of the Government after ten years They are to be issued to an amount sufficient to cover all outstanding legal tender notes not to exceed the amount then in circulation and in lieu of such notes Such bonds are to be applied to the purchase of the Pacific Railroad bonds and all other securities

Section two provides for the coining of those bonds and declares that there shall be no taxation whether of State municipal or other authority The interest thereon and income therefrom to be exempt from payment all except income duties to the United States Until in consideration of such exemption the Treasurer shall reserve one-sixth of the interest accruing, which sum in lawful money shall form a special fund one half to be distributed among the several States in proportion according to population the remaining half to apply to the payment of the national debt in the manner after wards provided

Section 3d substitutes for a sinking fund as provided by present laws a plan appropriating parts from the moneys not otherwise appropriated in the treasury, a sum which includes the amount necessary for the payment of interest one-half to be received for a tax aforesaid which sum during each fiscal year after the current fiscal year shall be applied to reduce the public debt in such manner as may be determined upon by the Secretary of the Treasury or as Congress shall hereafter direct The bill further provides that five twenty bonds shall at the expiration of five years from date at the option of the holders thereof be changed for bonds authorized by this act Such as are not redeemable shall be provided for exchange on or before the first of November next and thereafter The residue to be presented on or before the expiration of five years from their date

Section 5 provides that holders of any lawful money of the United States, to the amount of one hundred dollars, may convert the same into bonds for an equal amount the notes so received to be held in the Treasury as a part of reserve already provided for and holders of any five-twenty bonds, or bonds contemplated by this act may demand redemption in lawful manner and the Treasury shall redeem the same in lawful manner unless amount of United States notes than outstanding shall equal $400,000 000 but such bonds shall not be redeemable after resumption of specie payment The Secretary of the Treasury In order to carry out the provision is requested to maintain in the Treasury, a reserve of not less than fifty millions of lawful money similar in all respects to United States notes authorized by law, provided the same shall not at any time exceed four hundred million To enable the Secretary to redeem securities of the United States held abroad, he is authorized to issue bonds payable principle and interest in coin in Frankfort and London, the bonds bearing interest of four and one half per cent payable semi-annually at a rate of exchange equivalent to 5 francs on the dollar, such bonds to be payable in forty years, and available after one hundred and twenty years from date at pleasure of the United States, in coin at like rate of exchange, and to be issued to an amount not to exceed $500 000, to be exchanged for an equal amount of 5-20 bonds, or disposed of on such terms not less than par in lawful money as the Secretary may deem best

Cong. ssional.

In the House, Elliott, of Massachusetts offered a resolution asking of the Secretary of State information in regard to American whalers being warned off the Russian coast of America.

Garfield, from the Military Committee, reported a bill giving an honorable discharge to all persons relieved from the army without leave. Pending the debate the morning hour expired and the bill went over

Butler, of Massachusetts, reported a bill of appropriations to supply the deficiency in the execution of the reconstruction law The whole amount appropriated is $125, 665,000

The Speaker presented the President's Message in communication of the naval branch. Some excitement was occasioned by its reading among the Republicans It was ordered printed.

Stevens introduced the bill he sought to introduce yesterday regarding reconstruction In order not to retard the passage of the bill, he withdrew the section in regard to the election of Congressmen in the Southern States The bill passed

Washington, Dec 18.—The President sent into Congress to-day a message vetoing the bill providing for the administration and asking Congress to take favorable action He says Hancock is the only officer of the American army in high command south of the Potomac, since the close of the war, who was influenced by the example of Washington, who scrupulously abstained from abusing the constitutional rights of his fellow citizens, and suggests some public recognition of Hancock's patriotic conduct

Congress, Dec 18 —Stevens' bill as passed simply provides that a majority of the votes cast, instead of a majority of the registered votes shall be sufficient to ratify the Constitution so that the people may vote for members of Congress at the same time that they vote for the Constitution.

Washington, Dec 18.—In the Senate a resolution was passed asking the President for information respecting the English declaration of the Islands of San Juan

The Judiciary Committee reported in favor of the admission of Mr Turner, Senator elect from Maryland.

The bill to repeal cotton tax was debated.

The Senate Tax on Cotton

New Orleans, Dec 18.—Gen Hancock has ordered an election in Texas for and against a Convention, to convene February 10th and remain not more than 30 days. Each ballot package is to be marked "colored" No soldiers will be allowed in the vicinity of the polls and registered as voters.

The Georgia Convention

Atlanta, Dec 18.—The Convention adopted a resolution to Gen. Pope, recommending the removal of Governor Jenkins

Fearful Railroad Accident.

Chicago, Dec 19 —A fearful accident occurred on the Cleveland and Lake Shore railroad. The express train was behind time, and running at a high rate of speed From some cause unknown, the two rear cars were thrown off the track with great violence. The rear car went over an embankment fifty feet, and was set on fire Out of fifty or sixty only two escaped alive The rest were killed or burned to death. A mass of blackened and charred remains was only left.

From Mexico

Havana, Dec. 19 —Dates from Mexico to Dec 10 The Mexican Congress opened on the 8th. Juarez's message in the most flattering manner of the bravery of the Mexican troops His reception by the sympathy of the South American republics and compliments to the action of the United States. The most important part of the message is the passing into the hands of Congress all extraordinary powers A British war steamer has arrived with orders to bring away all employees of the British Consul in Mexico, consequently there is great excitement among the English residents but residents and the bank continue business Favorable papers say that Mexican refugees are being arrested under authority of Gen Reynolds and turned over to Mexican authorities as deserters

Miscellaneous.

Chicago, Dec 18.—A distinct shock of an earthquake was reported in various parts of Western New York and Canada this morning.

The New Hampshire Republican Convention has renominated Gov Harriman by acclamation

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

London, Dec 17—The authorities having received information that quantities of nitro-glycerine has been secreted in Newcastle-on-Tyne as it is supposed by Fenians, sent a sheriff and posse of police to remove it In removing it the substance exploded with tremendous detonation. Several of the police were instantly killed, the men nearest the package being blown to atoms. The sheriff was badly hurt.

The truth of the report that Spain has offered Cuba to the United States is denied

The inquest over the bodies of the persons killed at the Clerkenwell explosion failed to elicit anything satisfactory

Rumors have reached here that a change in the Austrian Ministry is impending and that Count Taaffe is to form a new Cabinet

Paris, Dec 18 —The Monitour publishes a circular signed by the Prefect of police, placing the press of the city under more vigorous surveillance

London Dec 18—There was another attempt to blow up the city prison to-day Powder was placed under the wall of Millbank Jail where a number of Fenians were confined The preparations were all completed and fuse lighted but the powder did not explode The plot was discovered and not renewed. No one to the guilty parties

The arms and ammunition seized by the Fenians have been found in several places in England.

Advices from Madrid say questions a report from the Interior that King Theodore had burned Debratabi

Paris, Dec 18—Menalara replied yesterday to the attack on the Government by the liberals in parliament He said that Italy would sooner or later possess Rome but the end would be accomplished, not by arms, but by moral force Rattazzi replied, saying that the people demand a different policy

St Petersburg, Dec 18 —The Invalide Russe says that a policy has been agreed on with France and Austria on the Eastern question which, if persisted in, will imperil the peace of Europe.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH

San Francisco, Dec 18 —The steamer Constantine will sail for Panama to-morrow

A fire occurred this morning in the Old Corner Montgomery and Commercial streets It was speedily extinguished Loss, about one thousand dollars principally from water

Last evening a superb silver tea set was presented to ex Mayor Coon by the Police Department

The firm of Gleeb & Levy of this city filed their petition in bankruptcy to-day Liabilities, $-5 307 Assets, $10,559

On her trip down last night, the steamer Chrysopolis collided with a lumber scow at the head of the slough by which a part of her starboard wheel house aft was carried away and a large quantity of lumber shipped on her lower deck aft No other damage done

At the annual election of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co held in New York, Dec 16th the following gentlemen were chosen Directors for the ensuing year: Allan McLane, Howard Potter Wm Dennistoun A A Low Geo B. Harrison Louis McLane James M Brown Jonathan Thorne and Samuel G Wheeler, Jr This is substantially a re-election of the old Board It is believed that with a possible exception, the Board just chosen is friendly to the policy hitherto pursued by the Company The result is considered as a magnificent victory for the present able and efficient management

The North American Steamship Co's steamship Arabia arrived in New York Dec 16th with the passengers from Europe Nov 25th, having made the trip in 20 days and 14 hours

San Francisco Dec 19—The Constitution sailed for Panama this morning with 115 passengers and $1 037 921 treasure Included in the freight was 1 300 bals flour and 45 000 lbs wood for New York

Yesterday afternoon the Pacific Union Express Company filed a certificate of incorporation The company is formed for the purpose of carrying on a general Express Exchange, Forwarding, Collection and Commission business in the United States and Territories and in such foreign countries as may be desired The capital stock is $200 000 The trustees are A K Grim Lawrence W Coe C S Hedenfield, J R DeLaMontaya Edmond L Gould, E A Tilton, L L Robinson A M Barker and T C Durant Messrs. Grim and Coe will be the managers of the Express on this coast

Yesterday evening a sufficient man named Michael Taylor quarreled with some butchers in a slaughter house on Brannan street, because they refused to draw some of his hogs that had died from disease James Conway freeman of the shop interfered to settle the quarrel when Taylor pulled a knife and struck him with such force as inflicting a wound which may prove fatal

Metcalfe who recently made a day rate assault and final on In the fish market was to-day all w I plead guilty to charge of assault and battery It having been all was that he was subject to the fine and six months imprisonment Several over dozen accomplished Hall was arrested for committing an almost fifteen complaints preferred by J Andrews The prosecuting witness cannot be found and a supposition have been applied away

The United States steamer Tuscarora has been ordered to Mare Island to land her officers and crew as agreed upon between the Secretary of the Navy and the receiving ship Independence and to complete her and the rest will for New York to-day Steamer Oriflamme

California Legislature

Sacramento Dec 18—In the Assembly Mr Ames presented from citizens of Marysville asking the Legislature to petition Congress to confirm the Yuba Land grant so that titles may be given to the quartier claims of Hutchings and Simonton in that valley Printing referred Referred to Lawrence

Hager introduced a resolution for a State Harbor Commission to investigate was adopted Senate Committee Curtis Lewis and Conly

Bills introduced By Hager to amend and repeal laws confirming assessment, levy and sale of wharves or piers at port Fr ancisco where the owners reside By Minor to secure purchasers at tax sale all wharf and pier leases to accrue to interest holders, and obtain State title to wharves and their lands subject of the State in making remaining part sections By Robinson to prevent seduction By Wolcott amending Walker river Railroad franchise

Assembly—Ames introduced a bill that no testimony be taken in contested election cases without notice of both parties Bills fixing salary of County Judge in San Diego and creating salaries in Monterey and Mariposa Passed Bircle Westin related Rector, Curtis and Conner appointed Committee on impeachment still in session Joint Assembly voted once same as yesterday and adjourned

Sacramento Dec 19—2 15 P M—In the Assembly an additional page appointed The harbor commissioner investigation resolution concurred in

Scudder gave notice of a bill amending San Francisco fire department

Senatorial Nomination

Sacramento Dec 19 —In the Democratic Caucus this evening Eugene Casserly was nominated U S Senator Vote 44 to —

Markets

San Francisco, Dec 19 —Flour trade strictly of a jobbing character Oregon extra selling at $7 25@7 50 chiefly at inside price Superfine broke yer 100 lbs $6 75@7 00; spr aks, $7@7 25, extra half aks $7 50@7 75 spr aks $7 —@8

Wheat—There are no sales to report good shipping may be quoted at $2 50 @ 100 lbs

Barley—Quiet at $1 80@1 90 @ 100 lbs for light feed to choice brewing

Oats—Sales 7 000 sks light in lots, $1 70@1 75 500 sks good, $1 90 We quote range $1 75 to $1 85 @ 100 lbs

Money Market.

Private telegrams quote gold in New York this afternoon at 134 Sterling, 110

Legal tenders quiet 74½ buying, 75 selling

Mining stocks to-day quiet and prices irregular

Deserving of Confidence.—There is no article which so richly deserves the entire confidence of the community as "Brown's Bronchial Troches" The Troches have received flattering commendations from the most celebrated Clergymen Lawyers and Public Speakers who speak from personal experience Those suffering from Asthmatic and Bronchial Diseases, Coughs and Colds, should try the Troches

Recreation and Amusement.—It is necessary that mortals should have some amusement, and since our city is not blessed with an elegant theatre, or some place of innocent amusement, it is the duty of every man to see that his acquaintances coming to our city should at least be pleased, and how can you please them better than by taking them to KOHN & FISHER'S, No 91 Front street, to buy one of those handsome suits they keep for sale

Shuchtel's Photograph Gallery is the only establishment in Oregon that is thoroughly prepared to do all the different styles of work in the art Photographs from card to life size The new cabinet cards, &c, &c Small pictures enlarged (retouched in India ink—painted in water-colors or oil by Mrs S J Rumsey Pictures that are fading can be reproduced in this way All negatives taken in this gallery will be carefully preserved, and additional copies had I have now on hand a very large collection of negatives, the names of which are recorded alphabetically in a book for that purpose that can be seen in the reception room

SPERMATORRHŒA.

DR DOHERTY has just published an important pamphlet, embodying his own views and experience in relation to Impotence or Virility being a Short Treatise on Spermatorrhœa or Seminal Weakness, Nervous and Physical Debility consequent on this affection, and other Diseases of the Sexual Organs.

This little Work contains information of the utmost value to all, whether married or single, and will be sent Free by mail on receipt of Six Cents in postage stamps for return postage. Address

W K. DOHERTY M D,
San Francisco Cal

NEW TO-DAY.

GRAND RAFFLE

AT

THE GEM!

FIVE SPLENDID PRIZES!

AMOUNTING TO

TWO HUNDRED & FIFTY DOLLARS!

consisting as follows

ONE VERY FINE GOLD WATCH CHAIN, (76 pennyweights);

ONE FINE SILVER MOUNTED REVOLVER,

ONE FINE GOLD RING SURROUNDED WITH DIAMONDS,

ONE FINE DIAMOND RING—SINGLE STONE,

ONE FINE DIAMOND CROSS,

CHANCES AT $3 00 EACH, to be had at
dec20dtf THE GEM.

PUBLIC SALE OF COVERNMENT PROPERTY

OFFICE DEPOT QUARTERMASTER,
FORT VANCOUVER, W T
December 18th, 1867.

I WILL SELL at PUBLIC AUCTION at THIS DEPOT

On the 6th of January, 1868,

TWO (2) AMBULANCES and

SEVENTEEN (17) LOTS OF AMBULANCE HARNESS

Terms—Cash at time of sale in Legal Tender Notes
Sale to commence at 12 M

HENRY C HODGES,
dec20d3t Bvt Lt Colonel and Qr Mr, U S A

Notice.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT I will pay no bills contracted by any one but myself.
dec20d6t MARY CLINE

Extensive, Positive and Closing Sale

OF THE

ENTIRE ELEGANT AND IMMENSE STOCK OF GOLDSMITH BROS.

I WILL SELL ON THE PREMISES AT THE JEWelry Establishment of Messrs. GOLDSMITH BROS.,
No. 92 Front Street,
ON FRIDAY, DEC. 20TH, 1867,
At 10 o clock A M,
THEIR ENTIRE STOCK OF WATCHES, JEWELRY, &C.,
consisting of

ELEGANT MAGIC CASED GOLD PATENT LEVER WATCHES
ELEGANT HUNTING-CASED GOLD PATENT LEVER WATCHES
ELEGANT LADIES' DIAMOND-CASED PAT LEVER WATCHES
FINE AMERICAN SILVER WATCHES
ENGLISH SILVER PAT LEVER WATCHES;
ALSO
MAGNIFICENT DIAMOND BROOCHES,
do do EAR RINGS
do do FINGER RINGS
ALSO
SPLENDID SOLID SILVER TEA SETS;
do do do WINE SETS;
do do do TEA and COFFEE URNS;
do do do PITCHERS,
do do do GOBLETS
HEAVY SOLID SILVER CASTORS and TEA SPOONS
do do do FORKS
ALSO
FINE GOLD PINS AND CASES,
do do PENCILS
do do EAR RINGS
SPLENDID OPERA GLASSES
SUPERIOR MARINE
ALSO
LARGE ASSORTMENT CLOCKS and FANCY GOODS
ALSO
STORE FIXTURES, viz —Four Solid Show Cases Silver Mounted Two Large Iron Safes Shelves, Counters &c

The attention of the Trade, and parties desirous of purchasing Holiday Presents is particularly called to the Sale. The established reputation of the House of Messrs Goldsmith Bros is sufficient guarantee that the goods are of the best quality Every article sold will be warranted as represented

A. B RICHARDSON, Auctioneer

WHEN YOU ASK FOR THE SAINSEVAIN WINE BITTERS SEE THAT YOU GET IT AS INFERIOR KINDS ARE OFTEN SUBSTITUTED

MERCADO & SEULLY SAN FRANCISCO SOLE PROPRIETORS. dec20dawly

GLORIOUS NEWS FOR THE MILLION

ANNUAL GRAND OPENING

OF

SANTA CLAUS' BUDGET!

AT

McCORMICK'S

BOOK STORE!

WHERE HE

HAS HEAD-QUARTERS!

HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED

For the Past Six Years.

and where

I WILL HOLD MY ANNUAL CARNIVAL

DURING THE COMING HOLIDAYS!

MY BUDGET FOR THIS SEASON

COMPRISES

THE LARGEST STOCK!

with

THE HANDSOMEST GOODS!!

and

The Cheapest Prices!

AND THAT ALL MAY OBSERVE

The Christmas and New Years'

HOLIDAYS!

I herewith issue my Annual

PROCLAMATION!!!

I've come, my dear people, among you once more,
Keeping up the good custom established of yore
I bid you all welcome I wish you good cheer—
A right merry *Christmas* and *Happy New Year!*
You will find me this year as you have heretofore,
At *McCormick's*, on *Front street*—the *Head-Quarters Book Store*
Where I've opened my *Budget*—twas filled to the brim
With every nice *Toy* that could talk walk or swim
I've *Musical Work Boxes*—and *Gaiters* for the fair
And *Gifts for* the Gents that are both rich and rare,
Whilst my *Budget* includes the nicest new *Toys*
That ever was *Gifts* to good Girls and Boys
I've the *Ark* in which Grandfather Noah was kept
When all other creatures from the world were swept,
(For men in those days would in evil persist,
So the world was washed by an *Oregon mist*)
I've *Babies of Rubber* of wax and of leather,
(They were all made to order) and well put together
I've *Vases* and *Cups* nicely gilded outside
And little *Cock Horses* for Bobbies to ride,
I've *Cannon* and *Pistols* which cannot explode,
For the reason they hold neither wadding or load,
I've steamboats that run—you just wind them in front
And they'll beat the *Cascade* or the *Wilson G Hunt*
I've a new *Locomotive*—It can never explode
'Twas built for the use of *Gaston's* Railroad,
I've *Engines* that play—Set them down on the floor
And they'll throw greater streams than old 57 or new 6
I've *Furniture, Fiddles* and *French Fusileers*,
Soldiers that look like B B Pioneers
I've *Swords* made of tin—*Guns* and *Pistols* as well,
And the new kind of *Drum* that rings like a bell,
I've *Masks* of all sizes—I've *Grace Hoops galore*
And you'll find at McCORMICK'S a thousand Toys more,
On FRONT STREET the Store is—105,
Where TOYS are as plenty as bees in a hive;
Go there and buy them—this is my request,
His Prices are Low and his Stock is the Best

(L S) Given at my Palace in Wonderland this 30th day of the eleventh month being the first year of the reign of George the Third in Webfoot.

SANTA CLAUS.

For BENJAMIN FRANKLIN
nov30d1m Keeper of the Great Seal

SELLING OFF AT COST!

POSITIVELY WITHIN

THIRTY DAYS!

JOHN B. MILLER,

PRACTICAL

WATCHMAKER,

NO. 111 FRONT STREET,

PORTLAND OREGON

Will Sell His Very Extensive and Well Selected Assortment of

GOLD & SILVER WATCHES

AT

COST PRICES FOR THIRTY DAYS.

ALSO

CLOCKS OF VARIOUS STYLES!

DIAMONDS JEWELRY AND SILVER WARE,

All of the Latest and Most Desirable Fashions

Particular attention given to CLEANING & REPAIRING FINE WATCHES and Satisfaction Guaranteed
Watches and Jewelry of every description Repaired at short notice dec12dtf JOHN B MILLER

FRESH OYSTERS

ANOTHER FINE LOT OF FRESH OYSTERS HAS come to hand and can be had in any style at

THE GEM!

THESE OYSTERS ARE FROM MY OWN DEEP WATER BEDS
sep18tf C. A. BURCHARDT.

LACOUR'S FAMOUS BITTERS!

AT

THE GEM!

oc12 dtf

REMOVED.

A. SAMPSON, CARPENTER AND JOBBER has removed from No 11 Yamhill Street to No 47 BLOCK ABOVE and is prepared to execute all work on short notice dec11 p1m

FRESH OYSTERS

AT THE

CAPITAL BILLIARD ROOMS

IN EVERY STYLE AT ALL HOURS no6tf

Diaries for 1868!

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT AT
dec1 dlm CHARLES BARRETT'S

Holiday Advertisements.

J. SCHONFELD & CO.,

85 First Street, Corner of Washington,

OPPOSITE FOR SALE

AT SAN FRANCISCO COST PRICE,

THEIR ENTIRE STOCK OF

Toys, Fancy Goods,

AND

YANKEE NOTIONS!

THIS IS A

GOOD CHANCE FOR MERCHANTS

Of this City and the Interior to

TO REPLENISH THEIR STOCKS

FOR THE APPROACHING HOLIDAYS
nov18dtf

HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

L. C. HENRICHSEN,

No. 105 Front Street,

Has just received a Large and Well Selected Supply

OF

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES!

DIAMONDS, JEWELRY,

Solid Silver and Plated Ware,

WHICH HE WILL SELL (NOT AT COST) BUT

LOWER THAN EVER WERE OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC

before or at present

Call and see and you will find it to your advantage to purchase of him dec12dtf

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!

JUST RECEIVED, EX STEAMER "ORIFLAMME,"

A Large and Well Selected Stock of

TOYS!

DIRECT FROM THE EASTERN STATES & GERMANY

FOR SALE AT

Less than San Francisco Prices,

AT

L. S. ROSENBAUM & CO.,

No 45 Front Street, Portland

FINE

Christmas Presents!

are to be found at

MUESSDORFFER BROS.,

consisting of

LADIES' FURS

OF ALL KINDS.

They have received a large lot by the steamer Nevada and offer them at LOW PRICES

Don't forget to give them a call, at no21dlm No. 72 Front st., Portland

VERY SENSIBLE

AS TO

CHRISTMAS GIFTS!

INSTEAD OF SPENDING MONEY FOR

TRIFLING ARTICLES,

IT HAS BEEN DECIDED TO INVEST

IT or some of those

NEW AND BEAUTIFUL PICTURES

Now on Exhibition at

W. T. SHANAHAN'S

MUSIC AND ART

GALLERY!

One door from Cor. First and Morrison Sts.,

(Near the Western Hotel),

PORTLAND OREGON

P. S.—NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR ADMISSION TO THE GALLERY OF FINE ARTS nov9d2p1f

Rare Chance for the Holidays!

GRAND RAFFLE OF FURS!

ONE MAGNIFICENT HUDSON'S BAY SABLE CAPE AND CUFFS!

ONE MAGNIFICENT SIBERIAN SQUIRREL CAPE!

150 CHANCES AT $3 EACH.

THE HIGHEST THROW ENTITLES TO 1ST CHOICE.
THE LOWEST " " 2D

The Raffle to take place at the

GEM SALOON!

(Where the Furs are on Exhibition) so soon as the tickets are disposed of

THIS IS A SPLENDID CHANCE TO MAKE A VALUABLE NEW YEAR'S PRESENT AT A SMALL EXPENDITURE

Tickets for sale at the "GEM SALOON" no30d2ddec

PROCLAMATION!

KNOW ALL MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN,

THAT

SANTA CLAUS!

has established his

HEAD-QUARTERS!

AT

W. B. NORMAN'S!

North East Corner of First and Washington Sts.,

Where the Largest Stock of

TOYS!

FOR THE APPROACHING HOLIDAYS

Can be found, together with one of the best and Largest Assortments of

TOBACCO, CIGARS AND PIPES!

This side of San Francisco

ALL FOR SALE CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST, just received and opened and ready for examination.
nov7dtf

BUY

A

GROVER & BAKER

SEWING

MACHINE!

FOR A

CHRISTMAS

PRESENT!

FOR SALE BY

W. CURRIER & CO.

No. 103

FRONT STREET,

PORTLAND OREGON
nov30d1m

ALE! ALE! ALE!

CHRISTMAS ALE!

MASON & CO. ARE MANUFACTURING A very Superior Article of Ale for Christmas use, which they are prepared to deliver to any part of the city Orders taken on the Brewery Wagon or if left with any of the wholesale liquor merchants will meet with immediate attention dec7-1m

Auction and Commission.

FALK & KRAEMER,

AUCTION & COMMISSION HOUSE,

Corner Front and Washington Sts.,

PORTLAND OREGON

REGULAR SALE DAYS,

Tuesdays & Fridays,

At 10 o clock A M

PRODUCE BOUGHT AND SOLD

CASH ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS
no18dtf

REGULAR SALE,

At Sales-Room

ON

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20TH, 1867.

At 10 o'clock A M

OF

DRY GOODS

GROCERIES.

FANCY GOODS,

NOTIONS,

FURNITURE!

&c., &c.

105 boxes SOAP,
50 boxes C O SOAP,
70 half bbls C. SUGAR;
30 half-bbls GRANULATED SUGAR;
2 cases NATURAL LEAF TOBACCO;
6 doz WASH BOARDS,
60 boxes SILVER GLOSS STARCH,

ALSO,

6 MUSKRAT CAPES,
8 CONEY CAPES AND CUFFS,
24 pcs ASSORTED DRESS GOODS;
8 pcs IRISH LINEN,
28 pcs SHEETINGS,
62 doz LADIES & GENTS POCKET HDKFS,
12 doz KID GLOVES,
10 doz NUBIAS,
60 FINE LADIES' CLOAKS,

ALSO,

2 FRENCH PLATE MIRRORS,
4 ROSEWOOD AND GILT MIRRORS;
2 CHINA DINNER SETS 96 pcs each;
1 ELEGANT PLATED TEA SET;

ALSO,

80 doz SLATS, assorted sizes.

FALK & KRAEMER

OSCAR HILLMOURN, Auctioneer

PROTECTION FIRE CO. NO. 4.

GRAND BALL!

Given by the Company at

ORO FINO HALL!

on the 2d floor of the

RECEPTION AND HOUSE OF THEIR NEW STEAM FIRE ENGINE,

ON WEDNESDAY EVENING DECEMBER 25TH, 1867

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS:

J W BOARDMAN, R HENDRIE,
H EVERDING A ROSENHEIM,
C P FERRY, R. H BROWN

The Hon Mayor and Common Council of the City of Portland,

The Chief Engineer and Wards of the F F D
W H D JOYCE, of Willamette No 1.
T B. TREVETT of Multnomah No 2.
W O BRUMN of Columbian No. 3
F M ARNOLD, of Vigilant Co. No 1

RECEPTION COMMITTEE

A B RICHARDSON, F OPITZ, W N PATTON.

FLOOR MANAGERS:

C P FERRY, J C MEUSSDORFFER, L. C. FULTON.

TICKETS $3 00.

dec16dtd

J. B. CONGER,

No. 93 Front Street, Portland, Oregon,

WOULD RESPECTFULLY announce to his old friends and patrons, that he has just Returned from the East, where he has bought a Large and well-selected Stock of

SADDLERY HARDWARE!

SOLID AND SILVER-PLATED HARNESS,

COACH HARNESS, DOUBLE CARRIAGE HARNESS,

SINGLE HARNESS,

HILL'S CONCORD TEAM AND STAGE HARNESS,

Boston Dray Collars,

Splendid Assortment of Whips, etc., etc

In addition to the above he will keep on hand a Large Supply of Home-Made

SADDLES, HARNESS, COLLARS, AND BRIDLES,

Also, SANTA CRUZ HARNESS LEATHER, SKIRTING and BRIDLE, all of which he offers to the Trade at Lower Rates than ever before offered in this market

Call and examine my Stock before purchasing elsewhere, and I will guarantee to please

Portland, Nov 24 1867 42p1f

STARTLING REVELATIONS!

WHAT WOMEN & THEMSELVES!

New Lectures! New Lectures!!

A NEW COURSE OF LECTURES ARE BEING DELIVERED AT THE

Pacific Museum of Anatomy and Science,

embracing the subjects,

How to Live and What to Live For,

YOUTH, MATURITY AND OLD AGE,

MARRIAGE CONSIDERED REVIEWED,

Causes of Indigestion Flatulence and Nervous Diseases accounted for Marriage Philosophically considered &c

POCKET VOLUMES containing these Lectures will be forwarded to parties unable to attend on receipt of twenty five cents in stamps by addressing Secretary Pacific Museum of Anatomy and Science Montgomery St., San Francisco sep9dw2p6m

ARTHUR E. HOLMES JOHN SUTHERLAND

HOLMES & SUNDERLAND,

No. 95 First St., Portland,

HAVING JUST RECEIVED A LARGE STOCK OF THE LATEST STYLES OF

LADIES, MISSES, AND CHILDREN'S WEAR!

At the GREATLY REDUCED PRICE OF THE TIMES, this firm is prepared to give the

BEST BARGAINS IN THE MARKET!

We are also prepared to take orders for CUSTOM MADE WORK sep19d6m

If You Want to Have a House call on Parish & Atkinson No 14 Morrison street. They will rent you one at from $8 to $100 per month They have some very desirable city property for sale farms to rent and for sale on very reasonable terms

Auction and Commission.

A. B. RICHARDSON,

AUCTIONEER

Corner of Front and Oak Sts

AUCTION SALES

OF REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES GENERAL CHANDLER AND HORSES

Sale Days—Wednesday and Saturday.

aug24 A B RICHARDSON, Auct'r

At Private Sale,

ENGLISH REFINED BAR and BUNDLE IRON;
do SQUARE & OCTAGON CAST STEEL;
HORSE SHOES, FILES, RASPS, SAWS;
SCREWS, PET PANE SHEET IRON, &c

ALSO

Large assortment of GROCERIES & LIQUORS.

A B RICHARDSON, Auct'r

REGULAR AND POSITIVE SALE

OF

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES, FURNITURE,

General Merchandise, &c.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1867,

At 10 o clock A M,

FURNITURE.

1 ELEGANT ROSEWOOD BEDSTEAD;
1 do do BUREAU
1 do do WASHSTAND,
2 do do CHAIRS,
1 FINE MAHOGANY SOFA
2 do do EASY

tion and Commission.
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SQUARE & OCTAGON CAST STEEL
SHOES, FILES, RASPS SAWS
, PIT PANE SHEET IRON R. G IRON
ALSO
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do do WASH STAND
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do CANE CHAIRS
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ALSO
and Palm Mattrasses;
Chests, Bedsteads Crockery, and Kitchen
Furniture
ORY GOODS.
W. UNDERSHIRTS AND DRAWERS
EN BOSOM SHIRTS
UN MIXED UNDERSHIRTS;
D FLANNEL OVERSHIRTS
EN POINT HANDKERCHIEFS &c
ROCE—
STARCH,
CANDLES
ALSO,
C. C. SOAP;
VOSS YELLOW SOAP
ALSO,
COAL OIL;
FISH,
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer
,000 PAIRS
OF
AND WINTER
TS & SHOES!
RIVING—
LADY WASHINGTON,
VIRGINIA, AND EU-
GENIE BALMORALS,
Ladies', &c. &c
Boots,
High Heeled Boots
variety of the following brands.
ALSO
Men's, Boys' & Children's Wear,
BOOTS, &c.,
have just been received at the
ELPHIA BOOT STORE,
719 Front Street,
AND, OREGON
Opposition Line
Co. will dispatch the
NEVADA!
2,000 TONS,
Commander,
FOR PANAMA,
Stephen St. Wharf, at 12 o'clock noon,
SATURDAY, JAN. 4TH, 1868,
AND ROAD to ASPINWALL
NEBRASKA!
700 TONS,
FOR NEW YORK.
Will have An expert steamer
Free.
At the Panama Railroad making the trip to
NEW YORK IN 25 DAYS!
Will sail Jan 25th, via Nicaragua
For freight or passage apply to
W. RAYMOND, Agent,
Front and Pine Sts., up stairs,
San Francisco.
SICKNESS.
VAIN WINE BITTERS,
Prepared by MERCADO & SEULLY,
Bordeaux, has been
long travelers a cure
DYSPEPSIA disagrees to
Those should venture on a
voyage without a good supply of
Vine Bitters. It is a SAFE
AND BEST TONIC KNOWN.
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TOBLINS & CO.,
Sole Agents, San Francisco
Best Qualities of
AND
GOLD PENS.
ALSO
Silver Mounted Pencils, Pen
Holders, Gold Pens and Watch Keys,
AND FOR
Sale by GOLD PENS.
Cutlery, Scissors, Razors, Pocket
Knives, Steels, &c.
Manufactured and for sale by
HARKER & CO.
EXTRA HEAVY GOLDEN SYRUP,
Received per barque Live Yankee and
HARKER & CO
BROWN'S and other brands of COAL
Just received per barque Mendota, and
HARKER & CO
100 Bbls. RED, just received per barque
, and for sale low by
HARKER & CO
IMPORTED SUGAR just received
and for sale low by HARKER & CO
RICE, in store and for sale by
HARKER & CO
JAPAN TEA together with a great
variety of other Groceries now in store and
HARKER & CO
No. 42 Front Street,

The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, DEC 20 1867

CITY.

Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates — 74½@75
New York Gold Quotations — 134

CORRESPONDENCE.—Under this head the Gaylord Avalanche of the 7th published a lengthy and quite interesting letter dated Portland, Nov 21, 1867 from which we take a few extracts of local interest and from which the writer says 'This town has but few buildings—the principal one being the specimen of the O S N Co. This structure is over 1 000 feet long—the steamers receiving and discharging their freight on the river side and the cars on the land side The building is so constructed that freight is passed to and from these cars with little labor and cost, as are the freight depots at the Dalles and Upper and Lower Cascades. The car ride from here to Salem was made in half an hour, distance, 15 miles. Salem suppose, I strolled round and through the main part of Salem City—a place of probably 2,000 inhabitants, but A ring so many vacant houses both business and dwelling—I may overestimate the population It is no more the second town in importance in Oregon The Railroad operated with eringly upon it Previous to the construction it was the chief point of trade and shipment to Western Oregon and all of Idaho. It contains many costly brick and stone buildings—quite a number of which are labeled For Sale, or To Rent It will likely never be again the fast and money making place it has been The Upper Cascades consist of a few buildings—some of them wearing an aged appearance, a few dwellings, a saw mill, a ferry, crumbling blockhouses, circa (1855-56) ravaged by the fiercest distinguished General Sheridan, are the distinguishing characteristics of man's work here The between here and lower Cascades is five miles by the Portage Road built in small flat of fine rich soil and other relics of military creation The Lower Cascades is of the correspondent says. I found the same of business prosperity prevailing in it Business is not to be so rushing as a few years ago, yet quite The advertising interests are extensive for a city of 8,000 inhabitants its commerce prosperous, while business is made a model by soil of generous fertility ing with all the staple grains roots and It is and in the city, cultivated shrubbery and flowers Mr. —ft—ge, constant and cheerful within The city is well provided with spacious religious, and for the ad— of county and city The It boasts a well- Academy, some Agricultural and Fruit and Flour stores are paved on Main, and are and still given models of churches with broken — Gas works supply those with gas who feel able to buy it The water works are a very clever bit of the country soon to be utilized in this wise I am daily being by their hose about Oxyhoe in the to Harrisburg to Baker and crowd to tell them the truth For Smith [?] wants to know about his interests in the Morning Star Assuming C. to be the State of the winter wheat is considered as in the big crop out pr Colonel Jones is about 2 miles of the Ohio Road; Lafayette, situated on the banks of the Yamhill river, is now a town of about 1,200 inhabitants, and is the county seat Here I of the County Court in session, a large fine brick edifice, neatly and painted with a jail which is certainly a model in the and particularly of the At McMinnville a great many new buildings have come up this fall and The large Hall, lately is a fine and we were told is occupied by a A large wheat has been put up on the bank of the Yamhill by the boats plying the river and the and now has a population of twenty-five hundred souls, and is not a saloon in it, indicative of Christian, and temperate people up in Yamhill county to be in all Aurora For the last few months for bids for contracts with the have been that the should pay for the advertising Take it like a man and [illegible] from the Office, date Nov 13th, and published for in the Portland Directory of the Pacific of the first class Oregon has been [illegible] to the first rank in point of serving in the Military of the Pacific, and the fat sister to the Union, may the [illegible] incurred by the loss of the adventurous pioneers be fully repaid to furnish public [illegible] which has doubtless public [illegible] assists no just reason to justify this Do not private parties to pay for public [illegible] Yours will [illegible] very warm serving under [illegible] Government, who may have of this [illegible] paying for advertising agents to [illegible] and have services paid for from the [illegible] in the [illegible] by existing rates and [illegible]

[illegible] Wine having [illegible] at the Custom [illegible] Portland while he went to City, returned yesterday and found that during [illegible] somebody had [illegible] upon his trunk and [illegible] clothing, and a number of other articles. He soon got on track of persons suspected and got [illegible] for their arrest. Accordingly [illegible] Constable was [illegible] by the first of [illegible] o'clock looking for [illegible] in the 7th ward, one of the [illegible] parties consisting of Wm Fox, one of the [illegible] and [illegible] Taylor [illegible] Fox not at home [illegible] about [illegible] found full title to the other three [illegible] about [illegible] the gang [illegible] stop him [illegible] Somebody [illegible] the street cannon out of [illegible] at the time, but nobody [illegible] of the fugitives. He went on, [illegible] and others who joined the [illegible] till he arrived near the Oregon Iron [illegible] when he [illegible] over the sidewalk, into the river After a [illegible] Fox was found under [illegible] out and taken to jail The others [illegible] with [illegible] by in the trunk [illegible] John [illegible] and John B. [illegible], were shortly afterwards [illegible] and [illegible] in the jail. Fox is the same person who was lately [illegible] the good jury on the charge of [illegible] clothing from a [illegible] on First street [illegible] will be before the Recorder to day for examination

In County Court—The preliminary examination in the case of the State vs. Gaagle Henderson and A B [illegible] with grand larceny, was concluded and the defendants were held to answer in the sum of $500 each [illegible] to furnish the necessary bonds they were not [illegible] It appeared they had hired some horses of Mr. J Bernstorf to be returned on Sunday instead of [illegible] their agreement they came to Portland where they [illegible] till Tuesday when he [illegible] They had [illegible] some of the [illegible] a small sum of money, and [illegible] was found in the possession of the man who had the money

In the case of the State vs Ah Ye charged with an assault upon Dr Jim with intent to kill, the defendant was [illegible] and the costs taxed against the complainant

For San Francisco—The steamship Oriflamme, commander [illegible] for San Francisco at 4 o'clock P M yesterday, with the following list of passengers: [illegible] and wife, S G Reed and wife, Mrs John Beatty and 3 children, Geo Brown, S H [illegible], M Meldecer W C Plum, C Bodwell, Miss Ellen T— A S H Thompson, Miss Lillie [illegible], Miss Ellen T— Leo Wolf, S Redlich, J Rucker, J D M— Arnold Miss Mary C— Johnson, M Cyrus, Wm [illegible], W L Vance W H— T J Wilborne, Rev D A Miles, H L [illegible] Rev J R Robbins, C E Tilton, Rev [illegible], Miss Louella Starch, Master [illegible] Starch, Miss [illegible] Olliston A Tyler, wife and daughter A [illegible], J R Lake, Dan Rockhead and wife, J H Jones, Wm Young and 18 in the [illegible]

From Lewis River.—We learn that Lewis river is now [illegible] City Gazette It is reported that Mr Eden lost over [illegible] head of cattle hogs, sheep etc Mr [illegible] will the river was rising was up all Saturday night trying to save his cattle which were, turning on the river bottom By great exertion he succeeded in getting them all out He got his calves all into his dwelling Mr Geary was several hours during the night up to his waist in the water from the effects of which he took a violent cold and is now very sick Mr Eden has suffered considerable in loss of stock Up to our advices, the most [illegible] country had not been heard from. About half of Lewis river is still running through the new [illegible], emptying near Martin's Bluff.

Visit for the Holidays.—Mr A. H Johnson informs us that he started a couple of men a day or two since to Yamhill and Polk counties for fat sheep to [illegible] for the holidays, but that in consequence of the heavy [illegible] being swept away they could not accomplish the trip and came back without any sheep He thinks it doubtful if a sufficient number of mutton sheep can be procured to supply the demand of the city People will have to try [illegible] elsewhere.

Loss of [illegible]—We learn that Mr A Cook, residing on the Yamhill river opposite Lafayette lost 35 head of stock by the high [illegible] The [illegible] were on the bank of the Yamhill river, and the water rising rapidly covered the [illegible] between them and the bluff, and [illegible] could be got off the [illegible] which was thus formed the [illegible] beginning

Wheat.—The Fanny Fisher—Arrived per steamer Albert, [illegible] Oregon City, 902 qr sks flour, 177 boxes [illegible], 5 boxes eggs, and 70 bags wheat

GEESE AND TURKEYS AS PEDESTRIANS.—Messrs Bissell & Horer arrived in this city Wednesday overland with a drove of seventy geese and eighty turkeys all the way from Lucklamute in the upper part of Polk county The distance is not much less than seventy five miles the whole being accomplished by the drove on foot in twelve days the actual travelling time being ten and a half days or seven miles per day We call it a pretty good waddling

FREIGHT FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The following is the list of freight per steamer by Oriflamme which sailed last evening for San Francisco 4 560 boxes apples 824 sks wheat 10 093 qr sks flour 538 gunnies do 450 sks bran 258 sks mid dlings 100 sks potatoes 16 bales blankets, 12 bales lead 147 kegs bbls dried apples 8 half bbls salmon, 3 bales wool 1 bale furs 7 cases do 4 bdls skins 3 green hides 75 dry do 61 pkgs mdse

TREASURE SHIPMENT.—The following are the amounts of treasure sent per steamship Oriflamme yesterday

Wells Fargo & Co	$60 000
Ladd & Tilton	22 500
Total	$72,000

WINTER.—We had yesterday a day of genuine Wolfboot winter—a little snow much rain some wind and chill dreariness everywhere and all day The hills in sight looked gray and cold The day was the most thoroughly uncomfortable of the season

TREASURE RECEIPT.—Wells Fargo & Co received yesterday by the Hunt $15 000 in treasure from the Upper Columbia

STATE ITEMS

The city of Salem is out of debt and has money in the treasury

The river fell very rapidly at Salem on Tuesday and Wednesday

A Salem paper learns that the rise in the river has carried away the main dam of the Harrisburg flouring mills A slough of the river is dammed and the water taken a mile in a ditch to the mills The slough dam being destroyed the mills will lose the whole season s work as it cannot be repaired until next summer.

The assemblies of Democratic gentlemen in this State [illegible] terribly good ill nature—about up to the average—in what the Albany Democrat says about a cotton powwow An [illegible] pimp—this hypocrite—this whited sepulchre—this hired scavenger—this blasphemer—this bag of wind,—this [illegible] moonstruck raphsodist—this paid libeller and villifier has the effrontery to charge us with writing abominable stuff

The Record of Thursday says We learn from Dr Lister just from the Rilendale Mills that the dam across the Rickreal has given way causing a stoppage of the machinery The same old dam built twenty years ago, for the Scenith flouring mills has been used by the Rilendale factory very imprudently as it seems, for the timbers that composed it had become entirely rotten and the high water has destroyed it The intention now is to turn the water of a creek distant a few hundred yards, and make it answer a present use It is expected that the machinery will be running again early in January It is to be hoped the stoppage will be only transient

TRINITY CHURCH.—The members of the Church and others interested in the Christmas decorations are requested to meet at the Vestry Rooms to-day at 10½ o clock The usual services this evening and also the Sunday School on Sunday next will be deferred until the following week

CONSECRATION OF JEWISH HALL.—The sale of jewelry by Mr A B Richardson, auctioneer, will be continued at 10 A. M to-day, at the store of Goldsmith Bros. The trade will find it to their advantage to be present.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO THE LADIES.—Just received, per steamer Oriflamme, a splendid lot of the most elegant Furs ever brought to this place Also, some beautiful Velvet Cloaks and several other articles suitable for Christmas presents For particulars, call on Mrs O Levy, 69 First street

CAPITOL, OLYMPIA Dec. 11th 1867

Dr. Goss, Portland—Sir I have been in the habit of using the "Henry Royal Remedy" in my family who resides at Walluila, Walla Walla county, W T I am now at Olympia, attending the present session of the Legislature, and the climate is so different from that of Walla Walla county that I have taken cold, and I have a desire to purchase some of the medicine here but was unable to do so Please send a bottle up directly by mail I have used nothing else in my family and cannot get along without it Yours truly

J M VANSICKLE

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At Summerville Union Co, Nov 16th, 1867, by Rev J F Roberts, David Troy and Mrs Ellen Mace

At Summerville Union county, Dec. 5th 1867, by Rev J F Roberts, Louis B. Rinehart (of the firm of Wright Bros.) and Amanda M Glenn

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CLOAKINGS.—A fine assortment of Velvet Beavers and Plain Cloths in Black Brown Purple, Grey Tan Scarlet and Fashion Mixed Cloths, &c Water proof Tweeds of English and Oregon make, Pilot Cloths, &c., with Buttons and Trimmings to suit.

FAMILY DRY GOODS.—10-4 Cotton Sheetings Pillow Cottons 10-4 Linen Sheeting 6-4 Pillow Cases Linen 6-4 Shirting Linen all prices Table Linens Table Diapers, Doyles Towels Bleached Quilts Counterpanes Crib Blankets, Cassimeres Tweeds, and a general variety of Piece Goods &c, &c.

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HATS AND CAPS.—A full assortment of Men and Boys' Hats, Infants Fancy Dress Hats, Navy and Glazed Caps, &c, &c

CLOTHING.—Latest Styles of Best Custom made Children's Cassimere Suits, Boys' Suits Youths Cassimere and Fine Beaver Suits, Gents' Cloth and Beaver Suits Black Doeskin and Beaver Pants Beaver Cloth and Silk Velvet Vests Coats and Boys Over Coats, Boys Vests Ready Made Shirts Boys Undershirts and Drawers Rubber Back Tea Trench Shirts and Drawers Rubber Back Tea Trench Overshirts and Vests Coats and Boys Over Coats, Boys Vests Ready Made Shirts Boys Undershirts and Drawers Rubber Back Tea Trench Overshirts and Drawers Rubber Back Tea Trench Overshirts and Vests Coats and Boys Over Coats, Boys Vests Ready Made Shirts Boys Undersh

Now's the Day and Now's the Hour.

Under this caption the San Francisco *News Letter* submits the following, which contains, although written in an extravagant and racy style, too much truth to be consigned to the tomb of the Capulets:

We have all read of the lice and locusts of Egypt; how rats came down from Norway in overwhelming droves; how squirrels emigrate in immense herds; how grasshoppers swarm upon Helicds, and the army worm, with resistless march, sweeps all before it; how, in Africa, the rodent takes up his line of travel, eating all before him. All these remarkable facts in natural history are now being excelled in California. Henry H. Haight, the Democratic Governor elect, is the Egyptian upon whom the lice are crawling, the locusts are devouring. He is the happy land to which all the Democratic squirrels are emigrating. He is the new craft to which every old political rat is now swimming for dear life. He is the corn and grass of a transient juiess, upon whom all the party grasshoppers now propose to feed. He is the Mecca of all the ragtag, and bobtail pilgrims, and as the Gubernatorial mountain will not go to the local and county Mahomets, these prophets are coming to him. His entire vote in the State was only 49,905, and already, we are informed upon the most veracious authority, that he has had over 50,000 applications for office; and the cry is still they come, and like the daughters of the horseleech, the cry is "give, give!" All nationalities except the Chinese, all brotherhoods except the old Republicans, all colors except black, come crawling to his feet, lick his hands in hope to pick up the crumbs that fall from the political table. The Germans are clamorous for office because they elected him, and it is even said that there are some Irishmen who hope to be rewarded for their long service to the Democracy. The hungriest and the leanest crowd is the old chivalry, and in our opinion they are the most deserving; at all events, they are second in numbers. Members of the first families of Virginia and Carolina, descendants from Pocahontas and Georgia majors; Charles Lord Earl of Fairfax and William, last Duke of Gloucester, are standing about convenient for the task to find the man. Broad brim hats, unfamiliar for the last six years, again make their appearance on our streets; old fossils dug from the anti-pluvial era of Republican deluge, are again crawling up to the surface and warming themselves in the sunlight of their new hopes. Old butternut trowsers again walk our streets as bright as new, the old holes repatched, and the ever-present tobacco-topped hickory cane swings jauntily from the arm, as waiting for whisky, the ruling class leans in easy nonchalance against our lamp posts. We hail the good old times, and look forward to the happy period when Custom House and Mint will again become the alma-mater of the Democracy, where the old chronic cases may find whiskey for the present, consolidation for the future, and security and shelter for the future. New England has had her pay, let Ireland have hers. Where was two years ago, when the Democracy went shivering along our streets; little knots got together their fears; Yank's jolly, now the tables turn, and the gentlemen from North America looks glum; he whispers around the and looks blue at the news from New York and Pennsylvania, while the gentlemen from France and the people from Germany, and the South Carolina, look as they had been resurrected to a new and happy life. We wish everybody joy and every success. We extend a cordial invitation to all the politicians to come down and see Governor Haight; there is room for multitudes yet to fill, and every man who voted the Democratic ticket is welcome to a place. Wharfingers along our front, Notaries Public to the number of twenty; Harbor Commissioners, with dignities and emoluments of more or less than they ever dreamed of at the State Prison, and room for more to be added; old places all around the State, and all the Legislature—yes, a multitude of them—are here. Labor is light, pay excellent and plenty for the rush of all. Let every Democrat in San Francisco and see the Governor elect at his office during business hours, and do not in follow him up; go to his house; he is an unoccupied man at present, and will be pleased to see you. If you cannot find the Governor, his partner, Mr. Van Temple, will be pleased to hear from you in full detail. See Tom Cannan and Jim Barry with the Governor elect so has Mr. Richard Chenery of the County Committee. Do not be discouraged, and if everything else looks unpromising Mr. Popple will at least give you a situation on the [illegible]

The Weekly Jour[illegible] of the Orange Journal writing from Des Moines, Iowa, says:

"I now not long since, enter[illegible]s in a Chicago [illegible] that the wild[illegible] lake of this State was probably [illegible]7,000 acres in Wright county and one in Sac county. They are indeed wonderful, [illegible] Assumption. Noble. H. C[illegible] has the following description of the one in Sac county. He says it is situated in the north part of township 86, range 36, and a part of it in 87, range 36, [illegible] west of the 5th principal Five miles, and from one-half to two miles wide. It is a beautiful [illegible] of water, gravelly bottom.

"The [illegible] of the lake there commences with a gradual gravel bank, gradually sloping into the water, and a distance of [illegible] from the shore for about one quarter of a mile. The wall [illegible] quite heavy [illegible] very steep, and [illegible] from three to six feet in height. The lake [illegible] as it widens the weeds are heavier, and at the [illegible] with the weeds are very thick, [illegible] feet) deep. At one mile and one-half from the east end of the lake, up the [illegible] is an island from two to five feet [illegible] a low piece of ground, [illegible] on the [illegible] with thick grass, next to the water it is [illegible] gradually ascends to the top, [illegible] through [illegible] and a person can ride [illegible] the top of it in [illegible]

"[illegible] west of this, begins to [illegible] narrow, the [illegible] to be shallow as to [illegible] such as it was, and as you approach the west end, there is not so frequently seen in the lake. At the West end of the lake a slough [illegible] the Boyer. The lake then makes [illegible] to the South, and forms a [illegible] peninsula of nearly two hundred [illegible] high, rolling and [illegible] prairie land, and [illegible] near the main waters of the lake as to leave [illegible] only wide enough for a wagon to [illegible] A settler has put a pair of bars across the [illegible] in the manner has obtained a pasture of two hundred acres, securely fenced all around. The wall commences on the east side of the Boyer slough, and continues around the south [illegible] of the lake to the northwest corner, and leaves the [illegible] up at all low places. The levee is so [illegible] that a person can walk almost entirely [illegible]

"At several places on the south side, on high [illegible] ments were thrown up, as though they intended to form breastworks. They make [illegible] did please for a person to walk up from behind and shoot ducks and geese on the lake. I don't know whether they were built for that [illegible] or not; but I think the design was [illegible]ded, and it was done fun to lay behind them and [illegible] as they swim in the lake or light in it. This levee in many places is built of stone, gravel and dirt all combined—in other places of stone covered from the north or south side with dirt, the real rich black soil. It is a fact a real curiosity, and the more you look at it, the more you wonder who did it. How came those [illegible], large stones, of two or more tons weight in the valley, and in many places lying on top of other stones. Who made such perfect and complete levees all around the lake in the low places? The walls resemble very much the cobble-stone [illegible] seen around farms in Pennsylvania, Western New York, Michigan and Indiana. It is a gold mine for fishing, and abounds in the very finest quality of fish in great abundance."

USELESS ADVICE.—A serious bit of advice, entitled "To Young Men on the Marry," is making the rounds of the interior press. It comes thus:

Young men about to marry—observe the dark girl with a large leg will be fast at thirty, and the short reading novels until midday. The brunette, with slender, very [illegible] limbs, will worry your soul out with jealousy. The olive-skinned with a pretty rounded leg will make you happy. The blonde with large limbs will decrease at thirty-five to the proportions of a pair of sashes. Let the natural size, and afflicted with rheumatism. The fair haired dowdy with thin limbs will get up at half past 8 in the morning to scold the servants, and will [illegible] her eighty talking regardless ever [illegible]

With a great deal more of the same sort about girls with "sturdy legs," and girls with "muscular legs." Supposing these rules to be perfectly reliable, and the result of extensive investigation and induction, what's the use of them? The girls won't give their beaux "a show" until it's too late. But if the prevailing fashions go a little further only a very little, those hints will assume quite a practical character.—*Dramatic Chronicle.*

A double line of rail is nearly completed between Pittsburg and Philadelphia, the main obstacle to which was the heavy job of masonry at Isak's Narrows, being almost finished. The job, a wall of about a mile in length, and twenty feet in hight, has employed some thirty men for [illegible] by three years.

Miscellaneous Items.

Charles Dickens was born Feb. 7, 1812.

Frogs in Cuba weigh twenty-five pounds each.

A woman's cause for all her actions—Because.

"Representation of Minorities"—Photographs of children.

Farragut and his officers were "smothered with kisses" by female Swedes.

It is estimated that Uncle Sam owns 1,400,000,000 acres of land.

A little row in China lately resulted in the death of 800 Chinese.

Jeff Davis' bail bond has been lithographed, and is for sale in Richmond.

The wheat crop in certain sections of Chili threatens to be a failure.

Garrison has come home. He is a bigger man in Europe than America.

Another cargo of Coolies has been landed on the southern coast of Porto Rico.

The sun shines eighteen hours out of twenty-four in some parts of Alaska.

It is stated that there are over two thousand base ball clubs in the country.

A new periodical is announced in London with the odd title of "The City Clerk."

The excess of births over deaths in England is now more than a thousand a day.

Just one-half of the American exhibitors in the Paris Exposition received rewards.

Victor Hugo is endeavoring to get the material for writing the life of John Brown.

Edwin Booth's portion of one week's receipts at the Louisville theatre was $3,500.

In Dakota, flour sells for $14 per sack; oats, 8 cents, and potatoes 7 cents per pound.

It yearly costs the citizens of New York $240,000 to keep the Central Park in order.

Mrs. Cobb, the pretty pardon broker, is already in Washington for the winter campaign.

The profits of the London *Times* are said to reach nearly half a million dollars per year.

Calvin W. Starbuck, proprietor of the Cincinnati *Times*, recently refused $250,000 for his paper.

Prentice says: "If you would remedy dyspepsia diet. If you would remedy gray hair—dye it."

Alexander Dumas recently addressed a letter as follows: "To Garibaldi, Rome—To be called for."

When your wife is silent, hold the baby for her. Perhaps it is as much as she can do to hold her tongue.

The taxable property of Memphis is $35,000,000. The two new wards will make it about $45,000,000.

Russia is in favor of establishing the Pope at Jerusalem, and making the holy city his future residence.

Two tons of prepared sponge for upholstering are manufactured daily in Lebanon, New Hampshire.

There are now 250 Young Men's Christian associations in the United States, with a membership of 35,000.

A Mormon elder has been converted to Romanism. There will need to be some divorcing before he becomes a priest.

The young King of Bavaria is a peculiar man. He doesn't want to live in the Capital, nor to marry or to reign.

Admiral Farragut has discovered a relative in Paris, in the person of Don Louis Farragut, an old Spanish Hidalgo.

The greatest number of old people in the United States are to be found in Massachusetts and Western North Carolina.

Over 7,000 new buildings have been erected in Chicago during the past year, at a cost of from $8,000,000 to $9,000,000.

Holland treats prisoners so well that they hasten to commit new crimes in order to enjoy again the luxuries of incarceration.

Things have changed in Rome since the year 1300, when Pope Boniface VIII entered Rome on horseback, two kings holding the bridle.

Arrangements are being in New York to devise ways and means for relieving the sufferers from famine in Sweden, John Ericsson contributed $20,000.

A Southern barber wants the "championship" for shaving twelve men in twenty-five minutes! What do the twelve men think about it?

In his walk from Portland to Chicago, Weston made 'take 2,589,312 steps. To do this in twenty-seven days, he must take 95,500 steps per day.

Pope Pius IX. is the two hundred and fifty-seventh in the regular line of Popes, and the See has been vacant six times for periods varying from one to four years.

In the manufacture of steel pens at Birmingham 2,000 persons are employed. The yearly product is over 750,000,000 pens, consuming about 5,000 tons of steel.

In the Canton of Uri, in Switzerland, recently Mr. Charles Mabeim was condemned to a fine of $60 francs for refusing to accept the Presidency of the district tribunal.

Richard Grant White has discovered that Charles Read stole the plot of his "White Lies," from the French of "Auguste Marquet," and Read says that White Lies when he says so.

The rector of a church in England, who was not partial to music, announced one morning in his sermon that the singing had taken up so much time that he would not preach a sermon. It is said the hearers rather liked the arrangement.

In Winterton, England, a woman appeared before the magistrate who, according to her own story, had been married to a man, and also to his son. Her first husband had another wife, and neglected to provide for her, hence the complaint.

Godard, the [illegible]t, now in Paris, has invented a [illegible] which has a thin coating of India rubber between the double silk of which it is made, and he is therefore said to keep the inflation perfect. The [illegible] is attached to a rope, and is drawn by a [illegible] engine.

The occasional correspondent of the New York *Times* says: "I spoke the other day of the fall in the price of living. But while living is going down, chignons are going up. The [illegible]s of false hair for the last two years have risen a rise of fifty per cent, in the price. The Paris [illegible] alone, now sell [illegible] 140,000 pounds of hair, and we braided, curled and [illegible] an advance of more than $15,438,11[illegible] Whence all this hair comes from is a [illegible] which, for the tranquility of families, had better not be fathomed!"

Hassalo Lodge No. 18, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 7½ o'clock, in Wolfe's building, third story opposite Arrigoni's Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.
Jan. 7, 1867, dtf.

Pacific Degree Lodge No. 1, I. O. G. T.—Holds regular meetings in Good Templars' Hall, on the [illegible] and Fourth [illegible]days in the [illegible]. Degree [illegible] in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.
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Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 7½ o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

Oriental Lodge No. 19, I. O. G. T.—Meets on Tuesday evening of each week at 7½ o'clock. All members of the Order in good standing are invited to attend. By order of the [illegible] W. C. T.

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the [illegible] Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No. 16 North Front street.
By order of M. E. H. P.

Willamette Lodge No. 2, F. & A. M.—Holds its Regular Communications on the Island 2d Mondays of each month at 7 o'clock P. M. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend.
ap17tf By order of W. M.

Harmony Lodge, No. 12, F. & A. M.—Meets on 1st and 4th Mondays of each month, at 7 o'clock, P. M. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. M.

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This preparation is exclusively of Chinese origin and contains, in a concentrated state, the curative properties of fourteen distinct Medicinal Plants. It is entirely unlike any remedy for similar complaints ever before offered to the public, and will be found upon trial more thorough and radical in its effects.

Full directions with every bottle. Price, $1. Trade supplied at LANGLEY, CROWLEY & CO.'S,
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Fast Freight Line

TO IDAHO!

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

FROM AND AFTER DEC. 10TH, 1867, UNTIL further notice, our rates for FAST FREIGHT will be as follows:

From Portland to Silver City.....40 cents per pound.
" " " Idaho City.....37 " "
" " " Boise City.....28 " "
" " " LaGrande.....15 " "
" " " Union.....19 " "
" " " Baker.....20 " "

Portland, Dec. 10, 1867.
dec11d1f WELLS, FARGO & CO.

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JOHN HAILEY'S

PIONEER LINE OF

Concord Coaches!

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oct16d1ptf JOS. PINKHAM, Agent.

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ON OR ABOUT THE 1ST DAY OF JANUARY NEXT, will be published the

PORTLAND

CITY DIRECTORY!

FOR 1868,

Comprising about one hundred and fifty pages of statistical information relative to Portland, embracing a

GENERAL DIRECTORY OF CITIZENS

AND

BUSINESS DIRECTORY!

And other statistical information relative to the progress and prospective growth of the City, accompanied with a

Lithographed Map of the City and East Portland.

Taken from Surveyor Burrage's latest official Surveys.

The work will be ready for distribution about the 1st of January, 1868, and will be delivered to subscribers throughout the City and State at $5 50 per copy.

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A. BUSHWILLER, Canvasser.
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FRESH MEAT AT ANY TIME.

Equal to any Sugar-Cured Ham or Beef.

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Apply to H. P. HENDERSON, Rose City,
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Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FIRM OF P. BARTHEL & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All parties indebted to said firm are requested to call and settle the same with the undersigned being authorized to receive and receipt for all [illegible] due them.

P. BARTHEL.
Salem, Dec. 2, 1867. ARTHUR H. BRETMAN.

Copartnership Notice.

We, the undersigned, have this day formed a copartnership, under the firm name of SHEYMAN, CELESTON & CO., for the purpose of doing a general merchandising business at the store formerly occupied by them, known as Moore's corner. We would ask a continuance of the liberal patronage extended to our predecessors.

ARTHUR H. BRETMAN,
E. P. CRANSTON,
I. B. HOWEN.

Wishdrawing from the firm of BARTHEL & CO., I would express my appreciation of the liberal patronage that firm has enjoyed, and solicit its continuance to my successors above named.
P. BARTHEL.
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ARE NOW MANUFACTURING A SUPERIOR ARTICLE

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FAMILY SOAP.

WHICH WE WILL SELL AT SAN FRANCISCO Prices, and deliver to up river boats free of charge. All orders sent to PORTLAND SOAP FACTORY, or to McCRAKEN, MERRILL & CO., Agents, will meet with prompt attention.

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WHERE HE KEEPS ON HAND A GENERAL assortment of

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All of which he offers to his patrons at prices to suit the times, as cheap as the cheapest.

Orders Solicited. Goods delivered to any part of the City free of Charge.

N. B.—Orders for Cider from a distance, accompanied by the cash, will be promptly filled and forwarded with care. nov26d1m

To Tax-Payers.

THE TAX LIST OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. ONE is in my hands for collection. Property owners are notified to call at my office, No. 141 Morrison street, and pay their taxes.

L. M. PARRISH,
nov20d1tf School Clerk.

Newspaper Ink.

200 LBS. NEWS INK IN 50 LB. KEGS.
For sale by
HENRY L. PITTOCK,
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Hotels and Restaurants.

New Columbian,

112, 120 and 122 Front St., cor. Morrison,
PORTLAND, OREGON.

GOOD NEWS!

THE NEW COLUMBIAN having just been elegantly finished, and being now ready for the reception of Guests, the proprietor would say to the citizens of Portland and the traveling public, that he is now ready to receive and entertain all who may favor him with a call, at PRICES TO SUIT. The NEW COLUMBIAN is an entirely new House, hard finished, rooms well ventilated and well furnished, and has capacity to accommodate (with comfort to the guests) six hundred people.

The DINING ROOM is large and commodious and the Table will be furnished with the best the market affords, permitting no house to excel either in quality or variety.

Fine suits of rooms with connecting doors, for families.

A large fire-proof Safe for the deposit of valuables.

HOTEL OMNIBUS, with the name of the Hotel on it, will be at the Landings on the arrival of Steamers, and will convey passengers and baggage to and from the Hotel FREE OF CHARGE.

WARM AND COLD BATHS.

House open all night.

Board, per week, $6; Board and Lodging, $7 to $10.

The Proprietor will at all times endeavor to please his guests, and respectfully and earnestly solicits the patronage of the citizens of Portland and the traveling public.
oct4d1f P. B. SENNOTT, Proprietor.

Oswego House!

OSWEGO, OREGON.

JOHN SCHADE.....Proprietor,

IS NOW PREPARED TO RECEIVE AND ENTERTAIN all who may favor him with their patronage.

THE HOUSE is New and the Rooms are Newly and Neatly Furnished.

THE TABLE will be supplied with all the Delicacies of the Season.

The House is situated near the Steamer Landing.

The Proprietor will at all times endeavor to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with a call, and would respectfully solicit the patronage of the Traveling Public.

Board per Week.....$5 00.
Board and Lodging..... 6 00.
Single Meals..... 50.
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Western Hotel,

PORTLAND, OREGON,

Corner of Morrison and First streets.

The best and most comfortable Hotel in the State, where every want is anticipated and cheerfully supplied.

WARM AND COLD BATHS ATTACHED TO THE HOUSE

This Hotel is located near the Steamship Landing. The

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Will be in attendance at all the Landings to convey

PASSENGERS AND BAGGAGE

To and from the House FREE OF CHARGE.
SAMUEL D SMITH,
fe23d1f Proprietor.

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(LATE LINCOLN HOUSE,)

Corner Washington and Front Streets,
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L. P. W. QUIMBY,

HAVING taken the above House, wishes to announce to the public that he is now prepared to accommodate guests in a satisfactory manner. Nothing will be left undone, which is in the power of the proprietor to do, to render guests comfortable.

FREE COACH TO AND FROM THE HOUSE.
Portland, Feb. 2, 1867. dtf

WHAT-CHEER HOUSE,

Nos. 126, 128, and 130, Front Street;
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Reduced Rates!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING TAKEN THIS well-known House, solicit increased patronage from the traveling public.

The House has lately been refitted and they are now able to offer additional inducements to their patrons.

The Table will be furnished with the best the market affords, and is under the immediate supervision of the proprietors. Rooms well furnished and well ventilated.

A large fire-proof Safe for the deposit of valuables.

Baggage taken to the Hotel free of charge.

BOARD, per week.....$6 00
BOARD and LODGING, per week.....$6 to 8 00

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fe9d1tf LYONS, LEONARD & CO.

Mansion House,

No. 143 Front street, Portland, Oregon.

E. CARNEY, PROPRIETOR.

THIS WELL KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN for the accommodation of guests, after having thoroughly renovated and refitted the same.

☞ HOUSE OPEN ALL NIGHT. ☜

A FIRE-PROOF SAFE FOR THE SECURITY OF VALUABLES.

TERMS:

Board and Lodging, per week.....$6 00
Board and Lodging, per day.....1 00
Single Meals..... 25
Lodging..... 25

The MANSION HOUSE BAGGAGE WAGON will always be at the wharf to take baggage FREE of charge.
jan10dtf

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THIS INSTITUTE IS SITUATED IN A RETIRED and beautiful location, away from the business portion of the city, on Third, between S and C Sts., Portland, Oregon.

Attached to the building are extensive and beautiful grounds, for the convenience of pupils.

The Educational Department will be in charge of the Principal, PROF. [illegible], late of [illegible], and for the last five years Principal of a Collegiate Institute in the Southern part of California, Principal.

No effort will be spared to make this Institute equal to the best on the Pacific Coast. The Course of Studies will embrace all the branches usually taught in first-class Seminaries in the East, including the Classics, French, German, Spanish, &c.

The Musical Department will be conducted by PROF. H. GUIDO GROB, Graduate of Planel's Conservatorie.

Parties from the country may rest assured that all the care of MRS. GROB, (Matron of the Establishment), they will experience all the attention of a mother and enjoy the comforts of a home.

N. B.—Particular attention will be paid to the choice of Text Books, to order to avoid anything of a Sectarian or Partisan character in our curriculum of studies.

For further particulars, enquire at the Institute or address H. GUIDO GROB, P. O. Box No. 186.
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Being provided with a FIRST-CLASS THOROUGH-BRACE STAGE, the comfort of passengers is insured.

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jan23d1w1m J. C. JAMISON.

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South-West Corner of Washington and Second Streets,

MANN, SCHLOTH & CO., Proprietors.

WILL ALWAYS KEEP ON HAND the Best of MEATS OF ALL VARIETIES, and other articles in their line WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

A liberal Share of Patronage is solicited, as we expect to keep as good meat as the market and of as good quality as the county affords, and will deliver the same to purchasers in all parts of the city.

☞ Keener Meat constantly on hand.
Portland, Sept. 6th, 1867. dtf

PACIFIC MARKET!

EMPIRE MARKET REMOVED TO

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Where all the business of the undersigned will be concentrated. I will keep all the varieties of Meats the country affords.

☞ Orders promptly attended to and delivered at the shortest notice. A. H. JOHNSON,
Portland, May 1st, 1867 dawtf

SAMUEL P. TURNER,

Next Door to Empire Saloon, First St.,

is prepared to do a

GENERAL JOBBING BUSINESS!

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WHITEWASHING, CALCIMINING & HOUSE CLEANING

AT MODERATE RATES.

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Notice.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO HE ARE REQUESTED to settle the same at the office of H. W. CORBETT & CO., who are authorized to sign my name in liquidation of the same. H. W. CORBETT.
Portland, Sept. 14th, 1867. dawlm

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Of every Description.

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N. B.—Repairing in all the branches at moderate prices.
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REPAIRING, in all its branches, such as Gumming, Re-Toothing, Straightening, &c.

CIRCULAR SAWS of all sizes; also, Cross-cut, Mill, Mulay, Gang, Buck, Butcher, and Hand-Saws of all kinds together with a good assortment of Saw Arbours at lowest market rates.

Cast-Steel faced PLANER KNIVES and MOULDING CUTTERS always on hand, or made to order on short notice.

N. B.—Messrs. KNAPP, BURRELL & CO., Commission Merchants, Portland, Oregon, are my duly authorized Agents for Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

Orders sent through them by telegraph or otherwise will be filled at same rates as if sent to me direct.
July 1st, 1866.—dtf N. W. SPAULDING

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PATTERNS MADE TO ORDER BY

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All orders for Work will be Executed Promptly.

JOHN NATION,
October 8, 1867. dtf Superintendent.

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ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY MANUFACTURING FROM the best

Cooking Ranges,
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Copper, Tin and Planished Bath Tubs;
Square and angular Black Walnut Counter
Marble Wash Basins;
Cold, and Hot and Cold WATER SHOWERS;
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FORCE AND LIFT Pumps;
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☞ Persons wishing to introduce Cold, or Hot and Cold Water into their premises, either Plain or Ornamental, would do well to give us a call.

Portland, April 2d, 1868. C. H. MYERS.

ENGINEERS AND OTHERS,

Take Notice.

JUST RECEIVED, A SMALL LOT OF THE CELEbrated SCOTCH TUBES for Water Gauges.

Also, the Largest Stock ever offered before in this city of all sizes WROUGHT IRON PIPES from ¼ to 4 inch inside diameter; BRASS COCKS, T'S, ELBOWS, RETURN BENDS, NIPPLES, BUSHINGS, &c.

Constantly on hand, STEAM WHISTLES, STEAM GUAGES, WATER GUAGES, GOVERNOR and STOP VALVES, THROTTLE, ANGLE and CHECK VALVES, GUAGE COCKS, AIR COCKS, and all kinds of

BRASS WORK,

FOR STEAM, WATER, AND GAS.

Persons wishing any thing in the above line, will do well to examine and price my stock before sending to San Francisco.

Plumbing, Gas and Steam Fitting Establishment,
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AND

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R. PITTOCK,

NO. 9 NORTH FRONT STREET,

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Where can be found a fresh supply of

BREAD,

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CRACKERS,

PILOT BREAD, PIES, CAKES, &c., &c.

and all kinds of

STEAMBOAT AND SHIP STORES,

Family Groceries,

FRESH FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c., &c.

☞ Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City. Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched.

☞ The hours hereafter will be conducted STRICTLY ON THE CASH PRINCIPLE.

PROSPECTUS

OF

THE OLYMPIA TRANSCRIPT!

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING PURchased the "UNION BOOK & JOB PRINTING OFFICE," of T. F. McElroy, propose to issue a Weekly Newspaper at Olympia, W. T., on or about the 1st of December next, to be called THE OLYMPIA TRANSCRIPT.

The paper will be devoted to the Agricultural, Mechanical, Commercial, Mineral, Moral and Political interests of the whole Territory.

In Politics we shall uphold and sustain the Union Principles of the Nation, at the same time reserving the right to be INDEPENDENT on all subjects, that we may be better able to discuss all matters in their true light, and give credit wherever it is due.

We trust our friends will circulate this prospectus generally, and assist us in getting a good list of Subscribers, Advertisements, or Job Work. We also invite correspondence from all sections of the Territory.

THE OLYMPIA TRANSCRIPT will be issued every Saturday, at $3 per annum, in advance.

Hoping to receive a share of public favor, we unfurl our Banner to the breeze.

E. T. GUNN,
J. N. GALE,
Olympia, W. T., Nov. 18, 1867. nov15d1m

LaGrande Gold and Silver Mining Company.

Eagle Creek Mining District, Union County, Oregon.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A MEETing of the Board of Trustees of said Company, held on the 2d day of December, 1867, an assessment of ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE was levied upon the Capital Stock of said Company, payable immediately to U. S. gold coin or its equivalent, to the Secretary at the office of the Company, in LaGrande, Union county, Oregon.

Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on WEDNESDAY, THE 1st DAY OF JANUARY, 1868, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on MONDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1868, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Trustees.

A. H. SEXLEY, Secretary.
LaGrande, Oregon, 2d December, 1867. dec11d6jt

Administrator's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING BEEN APPOINTed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of William Walker, late of Columbia County, State of Oregon, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them with the proper vouchers for the same, duly authenticated, at her residence on Sauvie's Island, in said county, within six months from the date of this notice. Persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

NANCY ANN WALKER, Adm'x.
Sauvie's Island, December 10th, 1867. dec11d4w

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF WM. A. ALDRICH in our firm ceased on the 1st of November.
McCRAKEN, MERRILL & CO.

The business will be continued by the undersigned under the same style as before.

JOHN McCRAKEN,
J. C. MERRILL.
Portland, Dec. 11, 1867. dec11d1f

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For sale by M. W. CORBETT & CO.

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SURE CURE FOR

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NEURALGIA,

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Sprains, Bruises,

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AND

All Pains in the Human Frame

GOOD FOR MAN OR BEAST.

Sold by all Druggists. Orders Solicited and promptly filled.

L. QUIVEY, Agent,
Corner of Third and Madison Streets,
Portland, Nov. 21st, 1867. dec14d6pif

CARD.

DR. BARLOW J. SMITH'S WATER CURE AND Physiological Institute, 627 Sacramento Street, San Francisco. This